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> PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT THEREFOR

Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) petition(s) the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time to file the Appeal Brief for one(1) month(s) from March 20, 1998 to April 20, 1998. Please charge Deposit Account No. 10-0750/J&J-1576/JAR in the name of Johnson & Johnson for the cost of filing this Petition. copies of this Petition are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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